

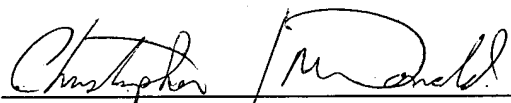
REMARKS

By this Amendment, claims 1, 3-5, 9-12, 14-16, 20 and 24-26 are pending.

The subject matter of claim 6, indicated as being allowable, has been inserted into claim 1 and claim 6 cancelled. Likewise, claim 17 has been cancelled and the subject matter inserted into claim 12 and claim 16 has been rewritten in independent form. The claims are allowable and favorable action is eagerly and earnestly solicited.

No fees are due and owing, but the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account 08-2455 any deficiency.

Respectfully submitted,



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